

# THE LEMBERG STAR

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**“Do not wait until the conditions are perfect to begin. Beginning makes the conditions perfect.” — Alan Cohen**

## **VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION**

Thank you to this month's **STARS**:

**James Jarocki**: Thank you for supporting your neighbours with snow clearing!

**Brad Krahenbil and Kevin Smith**: Helping residents clear their snow without being asked. Their kindness goes a long way in putting smiles on residents' faces!

**Rebecca Maurer, Janice Sutherland, Pearl Parkin, Connie and Glen Michael, and Judy Janiskevich**: This group is hosting English lessons for those that have English as a second language!

*If you know of someone who has gone above and beyond to beautify or make our community a safer place, please let the office staff know.*

## **LEMBERG LIONS CLUB WINE RAFFLE**

Tickets for the raffle are on sale until February 14, 2023. There are different ways to purchase tickets. Option 1 is to provide one bottle of **unopened store bought** wine. This allows you to purchase up to five tickets at \$10 each. Option 2 is to give \$15 to the club to purchase a bottle of wine locally and then purchase up to five tickets at \$10 each.

Draws are made on February 14, 2023. First place receives 50% of the wine, and second and third receive 25% each.

## **LEMBERG LIONS CLUB TRADE SHOW**

The Lions club is looking for vendors to fill their trade show happening April 1, 2023 at the Community Hall. Vendor tables cost \$35.00. If you or someone you know would like a table, please reach out to Carol Smulan at 306-728-8936.

## **CURLING UPDATE**

Weekly curling has been moved to Mondays. All skill levels and walk-ins are welcome. The drop-in rate is \$10 a night and the season is \$60.



## **MEETINGS WITH THE MAYOR**

Mayor McKenzie would like to let all residents know his door is always open for conversation. If you have issues, concerns, comments, ideas, questions, or looking for clarification, please get in touch with the office or him to set up a time to speak.

You can reach Mayor McKenzie by phone 306-335-7440 or e-mail at leMBERG.mayor@gmail.com.

## **MATURE DRIVER REFRESHER COURSE**

Saskatchewan Safety Council provides a **free** informational course to help reinforce safe driving habits. Participation **does not** affect your driver's licenses and there are no required examinations.

Place: Lemberg Friendship Centre (302 Main Street)

Date: March 1, 2023

Time: 9:00 p.m. - 12:00 p.m.

1:00 pm. - 3:30 p.m.

**\*Bring a lunch - refreshments are provided\***

If interested or would like more information, please contact Connie at 306-335-7532!

## **WATER TREATMENT PLANT UPDATE**

The Town of Lemberg is eagerly awaiting the funding announcement set for early spring from the government.

The Town is very hopeful that our application will be successful this year. Upon successful application, the Town will tender the project, review tenders, choose a tender, and begin the project! The projected completion date would be March of 2024.

## **2023 TOWN BUDGET MEETING**

Council is meeting on February 7, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. to discuss the current fiscal year's budget. The meeting will be held in Council Chambers at 332 Main Street.

Residents are welcome and encouraged to attend.

## **FIRE TRUCK UPDATE**

The Lemberg and District Volunteer Fire Brigade would like to thank everyone who has helped us get this far in our dream of building a new fire truck! Many years of planning & months of fundraising have got us here, and we couldn't have done it without you!

The chassis will be delivered to Lemberg, where the body will be added on in the coming months!

If you're interested in supporting our cause to provide better equipment for our community, please contact us for more information! Charitable donations can still be made at the town office to help us meet our goal!

## **LEMBERG'S 25TH AGRI DINNER**

The Lemberg Rink and Fire Department are excited to announce the 25th annual Agri Dinner after being paused since March 2020. Join them on Saturday, March 18, 2023 for dinner and Matt Gore - The Ginger Ninja providing the entertainment.

Tickets go on sale on Tuesday, February 21, 2023 and are available at Nutrien Ag Solutions. Tickets are \$50 each, drop by Nutrien or call 306-335-2265 to purchase. E-transfers can be sent to leMBERGRINKBOARD@gmail.com. Corporate tables can also be purchased to ensure your group sits together!

Sponsorship is accepted through a prize donation, gift certificate, or a monetary donation towards hall rental or entertainment.

For more information, please contact Sherri Hollinger at 306-335-7624.

## **LORAAS SCHEDULE**

### **Garbage Pick Up**

Friday - February 3 & 17

Friday - March 3

### **Recycling Pick Up**

Friday - February 10 & 24

Friday - March 10

### **Transfer Station Days - 9 a.m. to noon**

**Saturday, February 4, 18 & March 4**

**Tuesday, February 14, 28 & March 14**

*Please make sure you have the correct change for the attendant.*

## **QUILTING GATHERING**

Drop in at the Trinity Lutheran Church on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1:00 p.m. for some quilting! Quilting will continue until Spring.

## **FINES OPTION PROGRAM**

Have you recently received a ticket and your funds are a little tight, or simply do not want to pay? Did you know the Town of Lemberg participates in the Fine Option Program?

The Fine Option Program is not an alternative to sentencing but allows people to settle fines by doing unpaid, supervised community service work rather than paying in cash. The Ministry of Justice works with town councils, First Nations communities, local non-profit organizations or an individual to administer the Fine Option Program in the community under a contractual agreement. These organizations or individuals, called fine option agencies, assign suitable community service work to people who register to settle fines under the program. The agencies also advise the court of the outcome of the assignment. To be eligible you must obtain an order from court to register for the program.

To participate in the program, call the Yorkton Office at 306-786-5796.

## **ADOPT OR SPONSOR A PLANTER**

This year the Town would like to allow residents to show off their green thumb! Participants are responsible for planting the flowers and maintaining the planter for the summer. Rain barrels will be available for ease of watering. As part of this program, we ask participants to prune, weed, and maintain their planters throughout the season. We are planning to install a nameplate with each volunteer or groups name on the planter, so people know who is making the town a better place!

## **THIS MONTH'S FIRST MEETING OF COUNCIL**



February 21, 2023

Budget - February 7, 2023

**Residents are encouraged to attend.**

The agenda, attachments, and minutes can be found on our website at [www.townoflemberg.weebly.com/council-meetings.html](http://www.townoflemberg.weebly.com/council-meetings.html)

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